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7	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF ARIZONA	
8 9	Jason Crews,	Case No. 2:25-cv-00572-SPL
10	Plaintiff,	RULE 26(f) JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT REPORT
11	v.	
12	The Allstate Corporation,	Judge: Hon. Steven P. Logan
13	Defendants.	
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15	The parties conferred by phone, on May 19, 2025, to discuss the matters set forth in	
16 17	Rule 26(f)(2). Accordingly, the parties submit this Joint Case Management Report.	
18	1. ATTENDANCE	
19	The following persons attended the Rule 26(f) meeting and assisted in developing this	
20	report:	
21	Plaintiff Jason Crews	
22	Defense counsel Amanda E. Newman  2. SERVICE	
23	There are no parties who have not been served or who, having been served, have not	
24	answered or otherwise appeared.	
<ul><li>25</li><li>26</li></ul>	3. NATURE OF THE CASE	
27	Plaintiff seeks statutory damages for alleged willful violations of the Telephone Consumer	
28	Protection Act, 47 U.S.C. § 227 and C.F.R § 64.1200 (the "TCPA").	
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Plaintiff's claims relate to approximately nine (9) telemarketing calls allegedly received by Plaintiff on his cell phone between November 2022 and February 2025. Plaintiff alleges that Defendant's employees or agents calling on behalf of or at the behest of defendant are responsible for these calls, which were allegedly made using an automatic telephone dialing system (ATDS) and/or prerecorded voice without prior express written consent.

Defendant denies the allegations in the Complaint and has asserted various affirmative defenses thereto.

# 4. JURISDICTION

The Court has subject matter jurisdiction over this action under 28 U.S.C. § 1331 because Plaintiff alleges claims under the Telephone Consumer Protection Act, 47 U.S.C. § 227 et seg.

### 5. ADDITIONS AND AMENDMENTS

The parties do not anticipate adding additional parties or otherwise amend the pleadings at this time. Defendant reserves the right to move the Court to add additional parties and/or amend its pleading at a future date.

### 6. FORTHCOMING MOTIONS

Plaintiff is not presently contemplating a need for either dispositive motions or evidentiary motions, but reserves the right to pursue appropriate relief following further investigation and discovery.

Defendant may file a dispositive motion as to, inter alia, the unavailability of TCPA relief against Defendant for alleged calls made by third parties.

#### 7. RELATED CASES

Plaintiff is currently pursuing TCPA claims against other parties in the District of Arizona, but those cases involve different defendants. Defendants' position at this time is that Plaintiff's other TCPA suits are not related to this case.

### 8. DISCOVERY LIMITATIONS

#### Plaintiff's Position

Plaintiff does not propose limits on discovery, and request standard limits as prescribed in the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

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Defendant does not believe, at this time, that any changes to discovery limitations imposed by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure are necessary.

### 9. ELECTRONICALLY STORED INFORMATION

Plaintiff's Statement: Plaintiff intends to seek ESI in the form of records and documents which should be readily available to Defendant. Plaintiff will endeavor to limit request in scope to limit the costs associated with discovery of ESI.

Defendant's Statement: No issues related to the preservation, disclosure, or discovery of ESI have arisen or been discussed to-date. Defendant reserves the right to object to Plaintiff's future intended requests for ESI records and documents on all applicable grounds. Defendant also notes it will not produce relevant ESI in this case prior to the parties reaching agreement on an ESI Protocol and the Court entering an appropriate Protective Order.

#### a. ISSUES RELATING TO PRIVILEGE OR WORK PRODUCT

The parties have not yet made any agreement regarding the post-production assertion of attorney-client privilege or work product protection, but anticipate including such a provision in their proposed Protective Order.

# b. POTENTIAL RULE 502(d) ORDERS

The parties respectfully request the Court enter a Rule 502(d) order permitting the post-production assertion of attorney-client privilege or protection under the work product doctrine at the appropriate time.

# 10. REQUEST FOR JURY TRIAL

A jury trial has been requested and is not contested.

#### 11. TRIAL

The parties anticipate that the case will be ready for trial by May 2026 and that trial will last three days.

## 12. EXPEDITED TRIAL ALTERNATIVE

Plaintiff (a *pro se* litigant) certifies that he has considered, and counsel for Defendant certifies that she has discussed with her client, the expedited trial alternative.

# 13. CONSENT TO MAGISTRATE JUDGE

The parties have no objection to the assignment of the case to a magistrate judge, for the purposes of discovery only. At this time, Defendant does not consent to the assignment of the case to a magistrate judge for trial.

### 14. SETTLEMENT AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Plaintiff believes the parties could benefit from a court facilitated settlement conference. Defendant is open to discussing a reasonable resolution of this case with Plaintiff, but believes a court-facilitated settlement conference or other form of alternative dispute resolution at such an early juncture would be premature and unlikely to be productive.

### 15. MODIFIED PROCEDURES

None at this time.

### 16. ADDITIONAL MATTERS

The parties have not identified any other matters that will aid the Court in resolving this case at this time.

DATED this 23 day of June, 2025.

By /s/Iason Crews Jason Crews 1515 North Gilbert Road, Suite 107-204 Gilbert, Arizona 85234

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